MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(28)

TO:

Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE:

April 5, 2005

FROM:

Robert A. Ginsburg

County Attorney

SUBJECT:

Resolution proclaiming April

as Water Conservation

Month

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Commissioner Natacha Seijas.

County Attorney

RAG/bw

TO:

Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez

DATE:

April 5, 2005

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

FROM:

Robert A. Ginsburg

County Attorney

SUBJECT: Agenda Item No. 11(A)(28)

Please n	ote any items checked.
	"4-Day Rule" ("3-Day Rule" for committees) applicable if raised
	6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
	4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
	Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
	Budget required
	Statement of fiscal impact required
	Bid waiver requiring County Manager's written recommendation
	Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing
y	Housekeeping item (no policy decision required)
$\sqrt{}$	No committee review

Approved	<u> Mayor</u>	Agenda Item No.	11(A)(28)
Veto		4-5-05	
Override			

RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF APRIL AS WATER CONSERVATION MONTH IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

WHEREAS, this Board desires to accomplish the purposes outlined in the accompanying memorandum, a copy of which is incorporated herein by reference,

WHEREAS, water is a basic and essential need of every living creature; and

WHEREAS, The State of Florida, Water Management Districts and Miami-Dade County are working together to increase awareness about the importance of water conservation; and

WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County and the State of Florida have designated April, typically a dry month when water demands are most acute as Florida's Water Conservation Month, to educate citizens about how they can help save Florida's precious water resources: and

WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County has always encouraged and supported water conservation, through various educational programs and special events; and

WHEREAS, every business, industry, school and citizen can make a difference when it comes to conserving water; and

WHEREAS, every business, industry, school and citizen can help by saving water and promoting a healthy economy and community,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that this Board does hereby proclaim the month of April as Water Conservation Month in Miami-Dade County, Florida. Miami-Dade County is calling upon each citizen and business to help protect our precious resource by

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(28) Page No. 2

practicing water saving measures and becoming more aware of the need to save water.

The foregoing resolution was sponsored by Commissioner Natacha Seijas and offered by

Commissioner , who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by

Commissioner and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Joe A. Martinez, Chairman Dennis C. Moss, Vice-Chairman

Bruno A. Barreiro Dr. Barbara Carey-Shuler

Jose "Pepe" Diaz
Sally A. Heyman
Dorrin D. Rolle
Katy Sorenson

Carlos A. Gimenez
Barbara J. Jordan
Natacha Seijas
Rebeca Sosa

Sen. Javier D. Souto

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 5th day of April, 2005. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By: Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

[**J**/~

David Murray

